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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Min Zhu and Xuan Zhang
Title: Distributed Document Sharing
Application No.: 09/753,193
Filing Date: December 29, 2000
Examiner: Kieu D. Vu
Group Art Unit: 2173
Confirmation No.: 2912
Law Office: Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2003 for the above-referenced Application. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the Application in view of the following amendments and remarks.